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Letter dated 19 January 2011 from the Chair of the Peacebuilding Commission addressed to the Permanent Representative of South Africa to the United Nations

I have the honour to refer to your letter dated 10 January 2011 expressing the interest of South Africa in participating in the Peacebuilding Commission's country configurations on Burundi, the Central African Republic, Guinea-Bissau, Liberia and Sierra Leone.

I am pleased to inform you that the request contained in your aforementioned letter has met with no objection from the members of the Organizational Committee of the Peacebuilding Commission. Therefore, South Africa is invited to participate in all future meetings of the Commission's country configurations on Burundi, the Central African Republic, Guinea-Bissau, Liberia and Sierra Leone, in accordance with paragraph 7 (b) of General Assembly resolution 60/180 and Security Council resolution 1645 (2005).

(*Signed*) Peter **Wittig**
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